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VELT CHARGED

jecting His Person- Into a Campaign

Not His.

Talk of Impeaching rnor Odell For His Tactics.

Dec. 21.—Former Govern- dell, J., chairman of the state committee made a today in which he charged Roosevelt and Governor h a deliberate attempt to republican party of this own personal ambitions, t that if disaster ensued, e will be responsible. Mr. sations were a part of his e situation growing out est in the republican party e for the speakership of rk state assembly. Mr. red himself in favor of E. J., several days ago.

TOM PLATT IN

He Has Been Suggest- ing Examiners.

Officials of State Insurance Dep't of New York on the Stand.

FRANCIS HENDRICKS

Given an Inquisition by the Committee in charge of Investigation.

His Niece as a Confidential

Clerk, Draws Salary From the State.

New York, Dec. 21.—Several of the officials of the state insurance department were present today when the insurance investigating committee began its session. Among them were Francis Hendricks, the state superintendent; Isaac Vanderpool, chief examiner, and O. Appleton, the chief clerk.

Howard B. Stokes, third vice president and treasurer of the Bankers Life Insurance company of the city of New York, was the first witness before the committee today. Mr. Stokes was on the stand but a few minutes.

Francis Hendricks, superintendent of the State Insurance department, was called as a witness. It was Mr. Hendricks who, last summer, made the official report on the affairs of the Equitable Life Assurance society.

Mr. Hendricks presented a list of employees in his office, giving the salary of each. Among the employees is Kate Hendricks, a niece of Supt. Hendricks, as confidential clerk, with a salary of \$2,500 a year. Mr. Hendricks said the total amount expended by his department in 1904 was about \$137,000. The department received in fees and payments \$281,750 which was turned over to the state treasury.

The division of work among examiners was taken up with Supt. Hendricks. None of these is confined to one set of insurance. Three appointments as special examiners by Mr. Hendricks were gone into. Mr. Hendricks said they were appointed on the highest recommendations. Senator Platt recommended two of them.

Of the appraisers appointed one was recommended by Ex-Governor O'Dell.

TWENTY ACRES IN THE TRACT.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 21.—The announcement was made today of the sale of the beautiful home site in Pasadena, known as Carmelita, to L. N. Hartness, known as the Standard oil man. The consideration was \$180,000.

There are twenty acres in the Carmelita tract, fourteen of which were bought by Hartness. On the grounds is a bungalow in which Helen Hunt Jackson wrote part of "Ramona."

HUGH WATT GOES UP FIVE YEARS.

London, Dec. 21.—The trial of Hugh Watt, the former member of parliament, charged with inciting hired agents to murder his divorced wife, Julia Watt, and Sir Reginald Beauchamp ended today with a verdict of guilty. Watt was sentenced to five years penal servitude.

BATTLE IS ON

Between Rival Forces In Russia.

Last Preparations of Workmen for General Strike Are Complete

THEY ARE CONFIDENT

In Moscow Radical Papers Will Be Permitted to Publish.

Physicians Have Decided to Give All Their Fees to Strikers.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 21.—2:35 p. m.—The first guns in the battle which may determine the fate of Premier Witte's experiment with moderate constitutionalism and introduce either a revolution or a complete revolution were fired yesterday at Moscow where the general strike was successfully inaugurated.

The leaders of the government of the proletariat last night were making their last preparation here for a general engagement which will be on at noon today. The workers' council has been sitting continuously since five o'clock yesterday afternoon receiving reports and issuing final orders. The leaders profess to be greatly encouraged at the news from Moscow and the reports from district meetings which were held in all sections of St. Petersburg yesterday, declaring that there is now no question that the tie-up will be complete. They admit that many of the St. Petersburg workmen, mostly the married men, would prefer to continue at work, but they are counting on the great majority favoring the strike to swing the recalcitrants into line and produce a paralysis of industry even more complete than during the strike of January last. If their expectations are realized St. Petersburg today will be isolated from the rest of the world, with railroad traffic stopped and telegraph wires and cables cut.

The workers' council last night issued a stirring proclamation declaring that the government had cast to the winds the principles of the imperial manifesto of October 30, and was now basing itself on reaction, trickery and deceit. The proclamation ends with summoning all the people of Russia to join in a general strike and not to cease the struggle until the demands for a constituent assembly, universal suffrage, and the release of the arrested leaders of the proletariat.

The editors of radical papers are determined to print the manifesto this morning. It is utterly revolutionary in its phrasing and consequently the editors are taking infinite precautions to prevent confiscation of the issues by the police.

The first test of the railroad strike will occur on the departure of the Berlin train from here at noon today. St. Nemeschatsky, minister of communication, will make a determined effort to keep the foreign communications open and the workmen are equally resolved to show their power. Indications are multiplying of the government's grim warning to the people of the smaller towns to take the law into their own hands if the railroad strike begins.

At the meetings of various liberal and revolutionary organizations held last night the sentiment as a rule was in favor of the strike. In response to a number of requests from editors of local papers who were expecting their employees to strike, the workmen's council has decided to allow the radical organs to appear. In Moscow however, all the newspapers will be compelled to cease publication.

The physician's union decided last night that the dictates of humanity required the members to attend all sick people, but it was resolved to devote all fees received to the strike fund and to boycott all doctors not doing so.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 21.—According to information received during the night from Moscow that city was in a state of great excitement yesterday. The inhabitants were scurrying about buying supplies of candles, etc., the stores were boarded up, the great majority of the factories and mills were closed and the postal telegraph offices which had partially resumed their services were again closed.

Last night Moscow was in darkness. The strike leaders at Moscow are boasting that the strike will be transformed into an armed revolution, the orators at the meetings declaring that Russia will be drenched with blood before the long struggle ends.

General Dubassoff, governor general of Moscow, who has taken possession of the late Grand Duke Sergius' palace in that city, delivered an address to the municipal authorities yesterday in which he declared an unrelenting war against the agitators. He spoke of the shame of Russia at Moscow, the former bulwark of the autocracy and the holy city where the emperors came to pray, should become the center of disorder and insolent agitation for the overthrow of the emperor. The general insisted that there is enough of the faithful to preserve the autocracy until shaken, but that they must organize and suppress the criminal elements and he had accepted his present post because he wished to be in the front of the battle where he could show his devotion to the emperor.

LANKY ROBERT

The Grand Old Man of the Square Circle,

Meets Defeat at the Hands of Sturdy Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia.

IN THIRTEEN ROUNDS

The Younger Man Succeeded In Keeping Fitz Distressed

And With a Left to the Old Man's Stomach Forced Him to Give Up.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 21.—Fitzsimmons, the veteran, was beaten by Jack O'Brien, last night, until he collapsed. Fitzsimmons did not fall to the floor while fighting was in progress. He walked feebly to his corner at the end of the thirteenth round and his seconds mopped the Cornishman's gashed and bleeding face and it looked as if Fitzsimmons would answer the gong for another round.

Suddenly a dazed look came into Bob's face and he slid from his chair until his knees touched the mat.

His chest heaved and his chin was covered with the blood that welled from his lips. They lifted him up and seated him and it looked as if Bob made an effort to pull himself together. It was futile. He slipped from the chair again. Referee Groney rushed over to Fitzsimmons' corner, bent down and looked into Bob's face.

"Eddie, I'm all gone," said Fitz. Groney turned around and signaled to Jack O'Brien that he had won.

A gulp of whisky braced Fitzsimmons up temporarily, and he shook hands with O'Brien in a sportsmanlike manner.

The old fellow then dropped back in his chair again and he buried his face in his hands.

His seconds gathered him up and took him away to his dressing room.

"It was a left in the stomach that distressed Fitz," said Groney.

"He held himself together until he reached his corner, and then he began to vomit. The fight speaks for itself. He stood a terrible beating, and finally nature gave out."

Fitz could not hurt O'Brien.

The fight isn't a hard one to describe. Just as long as O'Brien wished to act on the defensive, Fitzsimmons could not lay a glove on him in a manner to hurt the Philadelphia.

When at last O'Brien elected to take chances, Fitzsimmons was too feeble to accomplish anything. The famed Fitzsimmons' wallon had lost its sting. O'Brien fought Fitzsimmons much as he fought Kauffmann. He closed Bob's eyes and pecked at Bob's face generally until it was gashed and puffed. In the main O'Brien did all the damage with straight lefts. Fitzsimmons was knocked down for the first time in the third round. In the following round Fitzsimmons fell twice, while rushing and swinging at O'Brien.

During all this time Fitzsimmons' blows either missed O'Brien by a big margin or were stopped by O'Brien's elbow or shoulders. In the fifth round O'Brien varied his lefts by smashing Fitzsimmons in the body. In the following round Fitzsimmons began to reach O'Brien's ribs with right handers and O'Brien's seconds yelled to their man to be careful.

O'Brien took to holding on and the crowd showed its partiality to Fitzsimmons by booing the Philadelphia for his clinging tactics as well as running away between clinches.

O'Brien was not at all discomfited by the fact that he had earned the displeasure of the crowd. He cut out the fight to suit himself.

Bob Only a Punching Bag.

When he cared to loosen up he gashed Fitzsimmons' face to ribbons, and when he went to side-stepping and ducking he made poor Bob look like a tyro. They both let fly their rights in the eighth round, and Fitzsimmons was the man who fell to the floor. After that O'Brien simply made a punching bag of the big fellow, and while Fitzsimmons' friends brightened up occasionally when Bob came to his opponent's ribs with his right, Jack's clean-cut tactics and effective punching showed that he was not hurt. It was the old story—youth will be served.

UNKNOWN VESSEL BURNING AT SEA.

Atlantic City N. J., Dec. 21.—An unknown steamer is on fire about five miles from this city. Life savers will endeavor to go to the rescue of the crew.

Abscon Life Saving station reports that flames can be seen plainly. The vessel is drifting toward this city. Two life saving crews have gone to the assistance of the steamer.

The cutter Mohawk will leave Tompkinsville, this afternoon to assist the vessel.

New York, Dec. 21.—The vessel on fire near Atlantic City is reported to be the steamer Pennsylvania, which sailed from here yesterday for Seattle.

COLONEL CLAPP ANSWERS CALL

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 21.—Colonel William H. Clapp (retired) died today after illness of several months. He was born in Mentor, O., September 7, 1836. He entered the volunteer service in the Union army in 1861, as a private and rose to the rank of lieutenant colonel because of gallant and meritorious conduct. After the war he entered the regular army and upon his retirement in 1900 was advanced to the grade of colonel.

He was a member of District of Columbia commandery of the Loyal Legion, the G. A. R. and the society of the Army of Tennessee.

Allen County

Boy Presented Senator's Credentials.

John M. Gearin Gets Into Senate After Contest Over Papers.

BURROWS OBJECTED.

Certificate Was Not Without Precedent and He Was Admitted.

His Colleague, Senator Fulton, Is a Worthy Product of This County.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—John M. Gearin, the newly appointed senator from Oregon, was present in the senate chamber today when the senate convened. His credentials were presented by his colleague, Mr. Fulton, but before he took the oath of office, Mr. Burrows, chairman of the committee on elections entered an objection, saying that the certificate of election was defective in that it provided that Mr. Gearin shall serve "until successor is elected." He said that the governor had not been constitutionally at place such a restriction upon the appointment.

House Adjourns.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—With adjournment for the holiday on today's program only a few members were in their places when the house met. An agreement was reached whereby Mr. Lovern (Mass.) and Mr. Budington (Tex.) may print remarks on cotton crop statistics. The house then adjourned until Jan. 4.

YAMAGATA IS MADE PRESIDENT.

Tokio, Dec. 21.—Filed Marshal Yamagata has been appointed president of the privy council.

Admiral Togo, now president of the general staff, the navy in his farewell address to the officers and men of the combined Japanese fleet which was dissolved yesterday warned them to be in constant readiness for emergencies. He concluded with the words: "Victory ties your helmet strings tighter."

SEWER PIPE FACTORY BURNS.

East Liverpool, O., Dec. 21.—The large plant of the American Sewer Pipe Co., was destroyed by fire early today, causing a loss estimated at between \$75,000 and \$100,000. The building, a three story brick structure, was completely ruined. The origin of the fire has not been ascertained.

MILLIONS IN DIAMONDS ENTER.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—A statement issued today by the department of commerce and labor says:

"Over \$36,000,000 worth of diamonds and other precious stones have been imported into the United States during the present calendar year, which is by far the largest importation in the history of the country. The high water mark in earlier years was \$28,500,000 in 1903, while 1904 showed but \$27,750,000. In the ten months ending with October the total is over \$21,000,000 or more than in any full year prior to 1900. It is possible that the value of diamonds alone brought into this country during the present year will be nearly or quite \$30,000,000 and the 'other precious stones' approximately \$2,000,000. The value of uncut diamonds imported into the United States in 1905, will exceed \$10,000,000."

MERE MEASURE OF PRECAUTION.

Paris, Dec. 21.—A cruiser detached from the French squadron at Saigon French Indo-China, is now proceeding to Shanghai. The officials here say that this is a measure of precaution as no French interests have yet been molested. The recent disturbances occurred in the international concession which is separate from the French concession.

An official dispatch from Peking today says an imperial edict just issued following energetic representation on the part of foreign ministers promises to terminate the trouble at Shanghai.

PANIC IN A TUNNEL

Five Men Seriously Injured While Working Under East River

SCAFFOLD FELL DOWN

Workmen Thought River Would Flood Them to Their Death

New York, Dec. 21.—Deep under the East River today a panic occurred in the Pennsylvania railroad tunnel in which five workmen were injured, three of them seriously. The men thought the river was coming in on top of them when some scaffolding near the roof of the tunnel at a point about 100 feet from the shore side, collapsed without any apparent reason. A gang of men working under the scaffolding started on a run toward the tunnel's mouth, shouting warning to the diggers who were still farther out under the river at the end of the boring. When the men were assured that the tunnel had not caved in, they returned to find five of their comrades buried under the scaffolding, two of them injured internally and another with a fractured skull. The injured were taken to the hospital.

CASINO BURNED.

Neces, France, Dec. 21.—A fire early today partially destroyed the Casino shortly after the departure of a gay night party. There were no casualties. The loss is estimated at \$20,000.

BREAK IN GAS LINE

Necessitated Turning off the Supply Here Early This Morning.

EFFORT IS BEING MADE To Make Repairs In Time to Turn the Supply on This Evening.

A serious break in the natural gas line, occurring near the village of Maysville, about half way between this city and Kenton, caused the shutting off of Lima's supply of natural gas early this morning, the "gas off" signal being sounded by the fire department tower bells at 6:45 o'clock.

The break occurred at a weak place in the transportation line, the heavy pressure of the gas supply throwing three sections of pipe out of the trench and hurling them into a field immediately adjoining.

Men were sent from this city early this morning and an effort is being made to have the break repaired in time to turn the gas on in this city again early this evening. If the supply is not turned on before 8 o'clock, however, the company will not permit of its being turned on until tomorrow morning, early on account of the danger of persons leaving the lines open in their homes and other buildings.

This break occurred so near Lima that there was not a sufficient supply of gas in the lines west of it to give service here during the time required to repair the break.

MEETING HELD

By Township Trustees of the County.

Movement Started For Organization of a State Association.

TO ASK LEGISLATURE

For the Enactment of Some Long Needed Reform Measures.

Want Office of Road Supervisor Abolished In Townships.

The Allen County Association of township trustees, which is said to be the first organization of the kind in the state of Ohio, held its fifth semi-annual session in the assembly room at the court house today, with President Beach Graham presiding, and a good representation of the membership in attendance.

After the reports from the various townships of the county were heard and President Graham had addressed the meeting, the leading feature of the morning session was an address by Hon. Wm. Rusler, whose subject was "What Legislation Should We Ask for at the Coming Session of the Legislature?" Foremost among the measures he favored asking for was a bill abolishing the offices of road supervisors and granting greater power to the township trustees in the matter of building and repairing roads and the enactment of a measure that will give township trustees the same power that is delegated to city councils in the matter of regulating the speed of automobiles. Mr. Rusler contended that if city councils could hold the automobiles down to 9 or 8 miles an hour in the city, the township authorities should be given the right to limit them to 12 or 14 miles an hour on country roads. Mr. Rusler said he felt that the automobile had come to stay and had no objection to its uses but did have to its abuses and thought the driver of a machine should be held criminally responsible for causing an accident where it was possible for him to prevent it by exercising reasonable caution. He also favored a general law requiring the placing of large numbers on each side of automobiles with also the name of the city or town to which a machine belongs being displayed in plain view.

The local association is inaugurating a movement for the organization of an association of township trustees in each county in the state and also the organization of a state organization to look after the enactment of legislation that is needed by the township authorities. Mr. Rusler estimated today that there were fully 4,400 township officers in the state and figured that that body of men, if properly organized, could accomplish much for the general welfare of the townships.

At the afternoon session there were discussions on the questions of building and maintaining roads and as to what relation the township officers should have with the national good roads movement. These discussions were opened by Messrs. J. R. Marshall and Daniel Harpster, respectively.

The program was to conclude with the election of officers who will serve during the first six months of the coming year.

QUIET WEDDING

Occurs at the Residence of Rev. F. P. Bossart.

Yesterday evening, at his residence, 755 West High street, Rev. F. P. Bossart united the lives of Mr. George Roeder, a prominent young business man of the city, and Mrs. Laura A. Hamilton, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Fisher, of east Market street.

The wedding was a quiet one and the happy couple left for their residence on east Market street, where they will be at home to their many friends.

BOSTON GIVEN A SMALL SCORCH.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 21.—A fire broke out in the four story brick building at the corner of 10th and Green streets in the west end district today, the upper part of which is occupied by the New England Road Rattan Goods company. Some difficulty was experienced by the score or more of employees who were at work in the Rattan company's shop in getting out and when the third alarm was given there was some doubts if all had escaped. The firemen lowered an unconscious man from the upper story.

REFUSE RESIGNATION.

Budapest, Hungary, Dec. 21.—The Emperor-King has decided that in view of the existing political circumstances he cannot accept the resignation of Fojervy, cabinet minister, tendered yesterday.

SHADOWS OVER

The Big White Capitol Building.

Once More Tariff Question Is Causing Trouble for Republicans.

DISCONTENT OF PUBLIC.

Wellman Says, Will Shortly Assert Itself In Certain Tones.

Stand Patters In Majority Will Not Permit of Any Reduction.

Walter Wellman writing on the tariff question in general, and those clauses particularly touching the Philippines, says:

"Once more the tariff question is at the front. It persists in making its presence felt among the national statesmen, regardless of whether it is welcome or not. It comes too, in so many ways and forms that its appearance indicates that it is symptomatic, and that sooner or later the underlying discontent will break forth in a commanding and compelling movement."

"Today, as several times before, the threatened tariff war between the United States and Germany casts its shadows over the big white capitol building."

"The Philippine tariff bill, though reported favorably to the house of representatives, was brought in by a slender majority, with high-tariff republicans standing on against their party at the best of the special interests which imagine they are to be hurt by the lowering of Philippine duties—the episode showing the dissensions on the tariff question in general which exist within the republican party."

"It is apparent to every one that later on in this session of congress will be forced to do something with the national revenues to bolster up the treasury, and when that hour comes, the tariff question must rush to the front, despite the heroic efforts of Nurse Cannon, who Ralph Wilder's clever cartoon, to inhibit the baby's sleep."

"And John Sharp Williams is preparing to strew more 100 per cent and plus tariff tactics in the republican path."

"There is general recognition of the fact that the commercial relations between the United States and Germany are in a precarious condition. Last summer the country was warned by those dispatches that Germany would soon denounce the favored nation clause of the treaty with the United States and proceed to apply the maximum tariff, provided by her laws against American goods. That has come to pass. Germany has given official notice of her intentions. And now the American statesmen are awakening to a realization that it is a condition and not a theory which confronts them."

"Already there has come a well-defined line of demarcation in the methods of meeting this situation proposed by two classes of American public men. Most of the republicans propose to meet it with retaliation—an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth. Some days ago Representative Payne, chairman of the ways and means committee, and, therefore, the tariff leader of the majority, introduced a bill putting retaliatory powers in the hands of the president. He proposed that the president should be authorized to retaliate with an increase of 25 percent on German goods. But this was not enough for the Pennsylvania school of protectionists, and today Mr. Sibley of that state—a former democrat—who became a republican ostensibly on the money issue, because he wanted higher protection for his manufacturing interests—went Mr. Payne one better with a proposal to give the president of the United States power to retaliate to the extent of 35 percent."

"Mr. Sibley's little bill reads as follows: 'That when it shall appear that any country has laid discriminating tariff duties upon the products of the U. S., the president may, in his discretion, add not to exceed 35% to the maximum duties on goods entering the ports of the United States from such discriminating nation.'"

"The democrats and a small number of republican progressives would meet the problem in a different way. They would meet concession by Germany with concession by the United States, to the end that the commercial relations between the two countries may be continued upon a peaceful and harmonious basis. A concrete expression of the progressive attitude was given today in the ways and means committee. The Philippine tariff bill was up for consideration."

"Mr. Williams, in view of conditions in general and the situation as to Germany in particular, offered a bill 'to establish a minimum tariff of the United States.' His minimum is four-fifths of the Dingley rates, 'to apply to and be levied on all articles imported into the United States from such countries as do now admit the products of the United States upon an equality with like products of such countries as may be admitted to their ports at the minimum rate of duty levied by them.'"

"The Williams substitute also applied this minimum to imports from such countries heretofore establishing a minimum rate and giving up the benefit thereof. Of course the republican members couldn't stand for anything like that, and the substitute was de-

"In diplomatic and other well-known circles the prediction is freely made that the republicans in congress will soon be engaged in a running trade war with Germany. Apparently the eastern manufacturers and exporters are kept out of Germany if even the thin edge of German competition with American manufactured goods can be averted."

"The view of the German government is that: For many years we have battled against the high tariff wall in the United States and we are tired of it. Now we have a protective tariff law of our own, as you have, under that law we grant favors to the countries that grant us favors, and to those that do not we apply our maximum tariffs. If the United States will be just and reasonable with us, we will be just and reasonable with them. We are prepared to make a fair bargain to give as much as we get. But the day has gone by in which all the protection can be on one side of the ocean. This jug-handled arrangement must come to an end."

"To this the high-tariffers reply: Lodge, the senator, Payne, Sibley and others in the house. Very well. We see the point. If you raise your rates against us, we'll raise ours against you, 25 to 35 percent. We'll meet your discrimination with a much heavier one. Now, come on if you dare. Not a word about concessions or giving Germany a square deal. In fact, the only talk of concessions from high tariff quarters is the beautiful suggestion of Mr. Lodge that after the American tariff wall has been pushed up 25 percent higher, some concessions from that level may be made, provided the Germans show a willingness to offer material reductions on American goods."

"The reply of the progressives is an offer to reduce the American tariff 20 percent to countries which give the United States the benefit of their minimum rates, that minimum being as low as any other country enjoys. Other words, if Germany will continue American products upon her minimum list this country will reduce by 20 percent the tariff on German goods coming into the United States—a real and tangible concession. It is needless to say that there is virtually no chance that this way out of the dilemma may be adopted. The standard-bearers are determined to improve this opportunity to put up the tariff duties against Germany, and in time, against every other country that follows the German method. And the meaning of that is a trade war."

"Meanwhile Secretary of State Root is conferring with treasury officials trying to find some way of arranging a modus vivendi with Germany to defer, for a time at least, the threatened commercial conflict. In a little more than two months the new German tariff goes into effect against the United States. Secretary Root has made inquiry as to what congress is likely to do, and he finds no encouragement for the hope that the leaders there will permit any legislation containing concessions. It is difficult to see what Secretary Root can do. The executive branch of our government cannot reduce tariff duties. It may make some changes in the method of collecting the legal duties, but it is extremely doubtful if the Germans will be satisfied with any such makeshift as that."

"Party lines were broken in the ways and means committee today on the Philippine tariff bill. The vote on authorizing a favorable report was 7 to 5. Representatives Babcock of Wisconsin, and William Alden Smith of Michigan, republicans, voting with the democrats against the bill. The bill as adopted reduces the tariff rates on Philippine tobacco and sugar coming into the United States from 75 to 25 percent of the Dingley rates, and all other goods are put on the free list. Sugar and tobacco imported into the Philippines from the United States are admitted free. All other articles pay the existing rates of duty. One of the California beet sugar men hadn't come into camp the bill might have been tied up in committee. An amendment offered by Mr. Babcock provided for sugar and tobacco duties of 50 per cent of the Dingley rates instead of 25 per cent. This was offered in the interest of the beet sugar and tobacco industries of the country. It was defeated by a vote of 8 to 4. Needham of California, Smith of Michigan and Robertson of Louisiana. "On the question of reporting the bill to the house, Needham voted with the reductionists, making the vote 7-3, whereas otherwise it would have been 6-2, the tie which would have given the bill a very black eye in committee, although it would soon have been reported out."

"President Roosevelt has been warned by Wilbur F. Wakeman, secretary of the American Protective Tariff League, that any organization intends to defeat the Philippine tariff bill in congress. Seemingly the high tariffers never learn anything and are determined to provoke public opinion to the utmost."

WALTER WELLMAN.

All of Christmas week, beginning on Monday afternoon, Dec. 25th, Miss Nellie Donegan, skitatorial queen of the world, will appear at afternoon and evening, at 4 and 5 o'clock. 61-31.

A full line of small rugs for Xmas just received by Hoover & Co. 55-61.

We still have more elderdown dressing gowns and bath robes than we want. They certainly make ideal Christmas gifts. The entire line is offered at exactly one-half our former retail price. Better get here before they are all gone. Carter & Carroll.

To Children

Any boy or girl under 12 years of age who enters this article out of the Times-Tribune and brings it to the office window at the P. E. Harman store, will be presented, free of charge with a bright and beautiful book of rhymes and children's stories. Older people who have seen these books, know that they will delight the little folks. The supply is limited so let the children come in at our earliest convenience. Remember the place—P. E. HARMAN'S.

GO WHERE THE CROWD GOES.

WHERE? To the Mighty Sale at the Union Clothing & Shoe Co.'s Old Stand Now in progress by order of The N. Y. & St. Louis Consolidated Salvage Co. Entire stock of \$37,000 worth of High Grade, Dependable Clothing, Shoes and Furnishing Goods positively must be closed out to wind up the affairs of the Union Clothing and Shoe Co. Sensational Bargains at the mercy of the people.

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A FINE SUIT OF CLOTHES, ALL TO MATCH.

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Suit or Overcoat, worth \$18.50, \$20.00 and up to \$22.50, from twenty lots as finely made and as elegantly finished suits and overcoats as the most fastidious dresser could desire. Fine

home and foreign suitings and overcoatings of style and tone and in a great variety of effects, tailored into garments of faultless fashion.

Kersey, Melton and Whipcord overcoats, tan cheviots; Vicuna, homespun, tweed and cassi-

mere suits, single and double breasted, in this gigantic sale.

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600 PAIRS MEN'S PANTS, worth up to \$2.50. In this gigantic sale.

300 PAIRS OF MEN'S PANTS, worth up to \$2.75. In this gigantic sale.

600 PAIRS MEN'S PANTS, worth up to \$1.49. In this gigantic sale.

100 PAIRS BOYS' KNEE PANTS, worth 25c in this gigantic sale.

100 PAIRS BOYS' KNEE PANTS, worth 75c. In this gigantic sale.

OVERCOATS that are the peer of any you see elsewhere at \$10.00; English ulster cloth-

ing, also Kerseys, Meltons, and in drabs, tans, modes, best domestic Kerseys, blue, black, and tan shades, Italian lined plain lapped seams, all marvels of goodness. In this gigantic sale.

OVERCOATS, best domestic Kerseys, blue, black and tan shades, some Indian lined, other sleeve lined, strapped seams, 15 inches long, full backs, as becoming to young men; actually and positively worth \$25.00. In this gigantic sale.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S OVERCOATS. Sizes: 14, 17, 18, 19—positively worth up to \$10.00. In this gigantic sale price.

ANOTHER OVERCOAT that penetrates of the virtues of the soft front, high profit dealer is this: Any line and every line of Overcoats that they offer this season at \$15 we will duplicate at this sale for \$9.98. They come in Kerseys, Montague, Box Meltons, long full backs, and belt effects, cloth faced, peerless of any \$15 garment. In this gigantic sale.

MEN'S FINE HATS, worth up to \$3.19. In this gigantic sale.

MEN'S SHOES.

MEN'S SINGLE AND DOUBLE SOLE.

and comfort shoes, London cap, extension soles; every pair positively guaranteed for good wear, worth \$1.50. In this gigantic sale.

MEN'S SHOES for business wear, that mean service and comfort; all the newest shapes; worth \$3.00. In this gigantic sale.

MEN'S FINE DRESS SHOES, made from select box calf and vici kid, best workmanship and finish, McKay sewed, every pair guaranteed actually worth \$3.50. In this gigantic sale.

WE OFFER the best shoe on the market for the price, certainly equal to any \$4.00 and \$5.00 made, latest toes and styles in all the latest leathers. These shoes compare with the most expensive shoes made. All go in this gigantic sale for.

MEN'S SNAG PROOF FELT BOOTS, positively worth \$3.00. In this gigantic sale.

BOYS' GOOD DRESS SHOES, for Sunday wear, positively worth \$2.50 to \$3.00. In this sale.

MEN'S ARTICLES, \$1.50 kind, only.

LADIES' SHOES.

BOYS' RUBBER BOOTS sizes 2 to 5, positively worth \$2.50; in this sale.

WOMEN'S RUBBER BOOTS. Just the thing for winter wear; positively worth \$3.00. In this gigantic sale, price.

Children's Rubber Boots. Worth \$1.50 of anybody's money, sale price.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CAPS, positively are worth 30c, at this gigantic sale.

MEN'S CAPS, a big value at 75c.

MEN'S EXCEPTIONAL WINTER CAPS, \$1.50 value, at this gigantic sale.

OVER 500 PAIRS of the very finest of the all season's goods, hand sewed, lace or button, all weights of soles. French kid, patent leather, and Russian calf, etc. They are far the best of any shoe brought to this market, and they come in all sizes and all widths; worth from \$1 to \$3.50. Come and pick them out in

this gigantic sale for them.

LADIES' VICI KID SHOES, button lace; Paris toes and patent tip; worth 90c. At this gigantic sale for them.

GENTS' FURNISHINGS.

MEN'S HEAVY FLEECE LINED UNDERWEAR, plain and ribbed, brown, blue, and natural, worth 75c. In this gigantic sale.

MEN'S GOOD HEAVY UNDERWEAR, Fleece lined, positively worth \$1.00, per garment.

500 DOZEN MEN'S good 25c handkerchiefs, in this gigantic sale.

100 DOZEN MEN'S good 25c socks, half in this gigantic sale.

90 DOZEN MEN'S 50c work shirts, heavy, in this gigantic sale.

125 DOZEN MEN'S 50c neckwear, in this gigantic sale.

90 DOZEN BOYS' good 15c suspenders, in this gigantic sale.

350 DOZEN MEN'S good 50c suspenders, in this gigantic sale.

SUIT CASES, double brass locks—cheaply lined, positively worth \$2.00. In this sale.

GOOD, SOLID LEATHER SUIT CASES, steel forms, worth up to \$3.00. In this gigantic sale, price.

GLOVES.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CANVAS GLOVES AND MITTENS, a lot we bought to sell at 15c in this gigantic sale.

A LOT we bought to sell at 15c in this gigantic sale.

MEN'S HORSEHIDE FUR MITTENS, bought to sell at \$1.50, in this gigantic sale.

MEN'S HEAVY GLOVES, leather, positively worth 30c.

MEN'S MOCA GLOVES, 75c and 90c values. In this gigantic sale.

WHITE SHIRTS that are the peer of any you see elsewhere at \$1.50. Open front, back, hand made button holes, an exceptional lot. In this gigantic sale.

The Union Clothing & Shoe Co.'s Old Stand 60 PUBLIC SQUARE.

FAIR CARD SHARP

Is Detected in the Act of Cheating by King Edward.

Though not even a whisper of it has found its way into print, the social elect are greatly excited over a cheating episode which took place at the house of Conde, Duchess of Marlborough, in Grosvenor square, recently, the King being present.

The culprit is a woman, young, beautiful, and a brilliant player; who has been asked everywhere to meet His Majesty. Had it not been a man who was in fault, it is quite likely he would have shared the fate of Gordon Cumman. As it was a woman she has escaped, though certainly disgraced.

She was playing against the King and the Duchess. Her partner was the Portuguese minister, the Marquis de Soveral, who is a great favorite with the royal family. He is an excellent player, but is always willing to lose his money like a gentleman. He was "dummy" and was in the dining room getting a drink while his partner was playing the "hand" when the incident took place. It was the King who has a marvelous memory, and who knows every card and suit, saw that his opponent had revoked twice and had done one or two other doubtful things. When she realized that His Majesty had detected her, she almost fainted. The king was angry, so angry that he dashed down his cards.

"I have seen you do some peculiar things at bridge before now," he remarked to the fair culprit, "but your last faux pas is unique. Look here, De Soveral," he added, calling out to the Marquis, "just see what your partner has done twice," and he then picked up the tricks and explained.

The unhappy woman "lost her head," so to speak, and made a scene. Throwing herself on her knees she begged the king's forgiveness and said it would "never, never happen again."

This was too much for His Majesty, who has a man's horror of seeing any woman distressed. He took her by the hand, saying, quite kindly:

"You are tired, madam. It is time we all went home. Please don't think any more of the matter. But if you take my advice you won't play bridge again for a long time to come."

Then he turned to his hostess and remarked:

"I must be off, Duchess."

It was then before midnight and, as a rule when the king plays bridge he seldom leaves the table before 2 a. m.

It is now said that the lady has been playing the chest for many a day, but because she had the entire to the royal circle her friends all winked at her tricky play. I am told that His Majesty has given the most emphatic orders that under no circumstances is she ever to be invited to meet him again.

HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS VIA PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

December 23rd, 24th, 25th, 30th, 31st and January 1st are the dates on which excursion tickets may be obtained to any station on the Pennsylvania lines for Christmas and New Year holiday trips, tickets good returning until January 3d, inclusive. For full particulars call on local ticket agent of Pennsylvania lines.

A Happy Thought.

What is nicer for an Xmas gift than a box of cigars or a box of Lowrey's candy? We have both. Cigars in boxes of twelve to one hundred. All leading brands of five and ten cent cigars. We deliver all boxes to any part of the city by mail if desired.

CATT & DIGRAY, "WIGWAM," Turkey and chicken raffle tonight.

Carter & Carroll are caught with an immense stock of furs on hand, and are obliged to make radical price reductions in order to unload their stock.

SEALSKIN CAPS. GENUINE SEALSKIN CAPS, \$5.00 AND \$10.00 AT MICHAEL'S.

WINTER TERM at Lima Business College opens Jan. 2, 1906.

Nothing would please your wife better than to buy her a Russell Carpet Sweeper at Hoover & Co.

BUY CANDY FRIDAY, AT STOLZENBACH'S AND AVOID THE RUSH.

GOOD MECHANICAL TOYS ARE TO BE FOUND AT FELIZ'S.

Hoover & Co. have the finest line of Lamps in the city.

THE INTERURBAN UNION FREIGHT HOUSE.

Located north of Wayne street, between Central avenue and L. E. & W. Ry. will be open on and after Monday, December 11th, from

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2 fast freight trains daily except Sunday leaving Lima at 6:55 a. m. and 12:40 p. m.

Consignments on the 6:55 a. m. train will reach

Wapak at 7:45 a. m.

Monton at 8:30 a. m.

St. Marys at 8:50 a. m.

New Bremen at 9:35 a. m.

Minster at 10:15 a. m.

Colina at 11:30 a. m.

And shipments from any of the above mentioned cities will arrive in the Union Freight Station at Lima at 5:20 a. m.

Consignments on the 12:40 p. m. train will reach

Wapak at 1:30 p. m.

Bohkins at 2:15 p. m.

Anna at 2:30 a. m.

Sigua at 2:50 p. m.

Piqua at 3:35 p. m.

Troy at 3:55 p. m.

Tipp City at 4:30 p. m.

Dayton at 5:00 p. m.

Springfield at 6:00 p. m.

Easton and West Alexandria, O., and Richmond, Ind., before 10:00 a. m. the following morning.

Express packages at express rates to Hamilton, Cincinnati and Columbus and way stations every two hours after 7:15 a. m.

Full information regarding rates to many other interurban points can be secured by the use of Bell phone 152-2 rings and New phone 199-2 rings.

Xmas Bells are Ringing

Forth the joyous news of wonderful Xmas bargains to be found at our store.

Deep Cut in Prices.

Beautiful fancy china plates berry bowls, trays, tea sets, creamer and sugars, chocolate pots, statuary, cups and saucers, spoon trays, olive dishes, etc., etc.

Your choice of regular 15c and 19c values going for 10c

Your choice of regular 39c and 45c values going for 25c

Your choice of regular 69c and 75c values going for 49c

Your choice of regular \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75 values going for 99c

Late Shipment of Iron Toys at a Sacrifice.

Regular 35c Iron Train, 18 inches long for only 23c

Regular 50c Iron Train, 24 inches long for only 39c

Regular 75c Iron Train, 33 inches long for only 49c

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Regular \$3.00 enormous and beautiful 52 inches long for only \$1.69

Regular 35c fire Engine going for only 23c

Regular 75c fire Engine going for only 49c

Regular \$1.25 fire Engine going for only 89c

Regular 35c Hook and Ladder Truck only 23c

Regular 75c Hook and Ladder Truck only 49c

Regular \$1.50 Hook and Ladder Truck only 99c

Regular 75c Iron Toy Express Wagon only 33c

Our Iron Toys are the largest, best and most durable of any now on the market.

Beautiful Rich Genuine American Cut Glass going at 1/4 Off.

19c—SATURDAY SPECIAL—19c

Handsome cut glass salt and pepper shakers with nickel, silver tops, warranted non-corrodible. Regular price 23c, going for only 19c each.

Beautiful Xmas cards and New Year cards at 1c, 2c, 5c, 10c, and 15c each.

Dainty little Xmas books at 15c and 19c.

Santa Claus and Holly seals at 10c per box.

Santa Claus cards and shipping tags at 10c per package.

The Famous 99c Store,

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THE WEATHER.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 21.—For
Ohio: Snow in North, rain in south
portions Thursday; colder Friday, fair
except snow in extreme northeast por-
tion; brisk southwest to northwest
winds.

What home will you make hope to
bloom in this Christmas?

The franchise getters have had
their innings, let the people have
theirs. A square deal for everybody
will hurt nobody.

This city has given away enough
franchises. Right now, at this late
date, even if it is a little late to lock
the door, is the time to stop.

One of the pleas made for the new
lighting franchise is that the men be-
hind it are local capitalists. That is
not good unless they are willing to
give the city a fair return for its fran-
chise rights. Capital, because it is
local should not simply because it is
local capital, be given a valuable fran-
chise without paying for it.

Proposed interurban roads claim the
city lines refuse to let them come in
over their tracks unless they pay twenty-
five cents per car each way within
the city limits.

Will some wise property owner on
west Market street please state by
what franchise right interurban cars
are allowed to run over the city tracks
at all, or what there is in the city lines'
ordinance that allows that company
to convert its trackage into a freight
line?

The liquor interests of Ohio arrayed
a mighty army against them, when the
president of the Brewer's Association
said yesterday at Cleveland to the
temperance and Christian people of
Ohio that "if they want to stir the
matter up we shall fight them to a
finish."

Somebody will knock that chip off
President Muller's shoulder before the
year 1906 is ended.

SHOULD BE COINCIDENT.

Any new franchise granted for elec-
tric lighting, should be made to ter-
minate coincident with the franchise
under which the present company is
operating. That would avoid laps,
and bring the contestants face to face
in competition when a new ordinance
is to be granted, and place the city in
a position to demand and receive full
compensation for the use of her high-
ways.

If the new company is willing to
come in and compete with the old, and
is honest in its intentions, it will not
balk at such a condition. If it can com-
pete now it can also hold its own at
the end of the present city contract
which is about five years hence, and it
can then, if its price is right, secure
a ten year contract, which is long
enough.

THAT CORPORATIONS REPORT.

The annual report of the bureau
of corporations of the department of
commerce and labor makes a point
that the bureau was created to meet
the overwhelming clamor for publicity.
It may be regretted that it has not
yet shown greater ability to supply
the demand.

The paragraphs dealing with the
beef trust consist chiefly of a labored
defense of the last report, which tend-
ed to show that the pickers were en-
titled to a national relief fund rather
than prosecution for violation of the
laws. Nevertheless, it is admitted that
during the investigation of prices and
profits evidence of a combination was
secured, out the government's power
to afford the public relief. Otherwise
this section of the report adds nothing
to the public knowledge.

Concerning the growth of trusts the
report says investigation has disclosed
that these are due to control of trans-
portation, trade marks, patent rights,
raw material or special legislation.
This had been suspected before this
official discovery. The bureau of cor-
porations may yet prove to be of ben-
efit. It is perhaps yet too early to ex-
pect definite returns, but there is a
general feeling that results to date
have not been as great as expected.—
Pittsburg Dispatch

REWARD OFFERED.

A gentleman who is a close reader
of current sayings, and having a re-
tentive memory, said this morning that
the policy of the Republican-Gazette
had so widely varied in the last year,
and from day to day, that he believed

the editorial management of that pa-
per could be convicted of almost any
kind of political heresy.

Any doubt along this line of thought
was removed by the following editor-
ial this morning, from the pen of
Governor Campbell:

There is some uneasiness among
the "stand patters" over the visit
of Gov. Cummins, of Iowa, to the
capital, and his whispering in the
ears of congressmen that there
ought to be a revision of the tariff
on some lines where duties are
too high, and that the tariff changes
ought to be made by republicans,
who made the tariff and should
protect it by eliminating errors
as they creep in, and making it
a source of protection and re-
venue, and of preventing its foster-
ing trusts, or burdening the
consumer by combinations that
eliminate competition. This is a
ground for republicans to stand
on, and fight the battles of pro-
tection, and also fight huge com-
bines and trusts and on this line
Gov. Cummins has a large part of
the republicans with him. The
party cannot defend a tariff when
it becomes a tax on the consumer,
and must avoid a policy that will
bring about such a result. There
are a number of articles in the
schedule now that ought to be cut
out, and that too by this congress.
There is no excuse for a tariff of
100 per cent on the cost of an ar-
ticle, and yet in some instances
duties are 1500 per cent. The
tariff on lumber ought to be re-
duced, if not repealed entirely—
it has been a great burden to the
western farmer and the small
builders all over the country.

Another article that the tariff
should be reduced on largely, is
hides. The price the original
seller gets is insignificant, even
with tariff protection, but he gets
it in the neck doubly hard when
he buys his boots and shoes,
harness and all leather goods
from the eastern manufacturer.

"The cost for the uppers of
shoes has increased 42 1/2 percent.
In the last 10 years, 20 per cent.
of this in the last 10 months, said
George W. Wilkins, a representa-
tive of a shoe manufacturing com-
pany of Brockton, Mass., "and
the heaviest increase in cost falls
upon medium-priced shoes that
cost from \$2 to \$4. Common bro-
gans made of rawhide have in-
creased 50 cents a pair. All this
is due to the high tariff on raw
hides, and it helps but few and
hides hardest those least able to
bear it. There is a universal cry
for free hides among manufactur-
ers and dealers, whose customers
kick against the advance in price.
If a dealer makes a clear profit of
five or six cents on a pair of
shoes sold to the retail trade he
is doing well under existing con-
ditions, and to jobbers it is less.
Persons by the thousands are go-
ing up to congressmen to vote for
free hides."

The republican party has built
up a great system of protection,
that has given the nation un-
bounded prosperity, and put us in
the front rank of nations, but it
was a tariff originally to protect
infant industries, and we want it
kept along the original lines, and
not permit it to become a shelter
for trusts, nor allow it to burden
our home markets and home peo-
ple, and capture the markets of the
world or give cheap goods to out-
side nations. America for Ameri-
cans first, last and all the time.
It is time to get down on our up-
pers and knock the bottom out of
trusts, combines and high tariff—
the tariff that protected infant
industries and furnished abundant
revenues, but did not engender
trusts, as a high Chinese wall
tariff does, is what we need, is
good enough for the average re-
publican, and will shut the mouths
of tariff reformers in the demo-
cratic party who are free traders,
at heart, and never have been
able to reform the tariff without
bringing panics, financial disaster,
poverty, soup-houses, and armies
of tramps on the country. The
republicans should reform the
tariff and do it at this session—
delay is dangerous.

Who are the "stand patters?" The
editor of the Republican Gazette has
been one all his life and still is one
at heart. On the surface he has had
a change of heart because he sees the
inevitable demand of a tariff burden-
ed people for tariff reduction along
lines that will produce revenue only.

Read again some choice excerpts
from his above tariff talk:

Tariff changes ought to be made
by republicans, who made the tar-
iff, and should protect it by elimi-
nating errors as they creep in and
making it a source of protection
and revenue, and yet prevent its
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delay is dangerous."

With all sincerity we ask you if
you think the author of the above is
sane?

He says the republican party should
continue making the tariff a source
of protection, and yet prevent its
fostering trusts.

Who ever heard of a trust in this
country until they came into existence
as the direct result of a republican
protective tariff policy?

The word Trust was not coined un-
til after the passage of the Dingley
high tariff bill.

Then pay heed to Bro Campbell's
next significant statement:
"The party (Republican) cannot de-
fend a tariff when it becomes a tax
on the consumer."

Isn't that as good democratic doc-
trine as you ever heard. No national
democratic platform is ever without
that declaration?

It never found lodgement in a re-
publican platform, and we say to Bro
Campbell that nowhere in the files of
his paper covering any national cam-
paign can he discover where he ever
before made a like statement.

To make it like now is all tommy-rot,
and is solely for the purpose of de-
ceiving the public on the tariff stand
of the republican party.

If taking the tariff off of lumber and
hides would be a good thing to do,
as the editor of the Gazette says,
what then becomes of the whole fab-
ric of protection, designed as "a fos-
tering influence for infant industries?"

But it is in the last paragraph of
Mr Campbell's editorial that he
shows himself an expert juggler, a hot
and cold artist, and a high and low
tariff advocate, without ever stopping
for a fresh supply of oxygen. There you
will find a combination of twisters
that would put to shame—well a sewer-
er inspector. It is reproduced twice
in this article so that readers of the
Times-Democrat can fully grasp it,
and have a thorough knowledge of
just what the position of the republi-
can spokesman for the Bird organ
stands in on the tariff question.

Read it, and the first one sending us
a solution to the riddle will receive a
parchesi board.

COME, BE EXPLICIT.

L. M. Allen, the deposed sewer and
sidewalk inspector, is a republican,
and was appointed to his position by
republicans. This fact is mentioned
not for the purpose of making political
capital out of it, but to call the atten-
tion of the Bird organ to the fact that
republican officials sometimes make
a mistake.

Mr. Allen's case seems to be explic-
it.

We again ask our esteemed contem-
porary to come to the front and give
to the public one single instance of
where a democratic county official
violated the trust imposed in him.

Innuendoes will not do, Bro. Camp-
bell.

The people want facts and not
imaginary and dishonest flatterings
such as you have been giving them.

A NEW RICHMOND.

Some new Richmond entered the
editorial field of the Bird organ this
morning, for the purpose of champion-
ing the electric light franchise secre-
tely caused on, on last Monday night.

We know he is a new Richmond, be-
cause there is some continuity of
thought in what he says.

He knows what he wants to ac-
complish, and he gives a reason why
he or they should be granted a fran-
chise.

This is the way he puts it.

"We have an excellent system
of railways, interurbans, lighting
and heating plants, but they are
not entitled to monopolize our
streets, to the exclusion of others
seeking to come in, especially
when they paid the city nothing
for the valuable franchise they
possess."

How does that analyze? It says
nothing more, nothing less, than that
the city, because it has been fool
enough to give away valuable fran-
chises should continue to do so, in
order to have competition.

If that policy is to be pursued, when
is the city to begin getting anything
for its franchises?

But we should be charitable. Messrs.
Halfhill and Canfield offer for the
use of the streets, alley, lanes and a
few other things to light the city
building free.

What on overpaying, and heav-
ily burst of magnanimity.

MR. CANFIELD.

There is little wonder, when one
thinks of it, that Mr. Halfhill and
the Republican-Gazette should cham-
pion giving Mr. Canfield, of Delphos,
a lighting franchise without consid-
eration.

Mr Canfield has always walked un-
der the banner of the Halfhill Camp-
bell faction in the republican party.

Mr Canfield was the first Halfhill
Campbell-Quail delegate to break in-
to the congressional hall at Cella,
and attempt to break up the regular-
ly organized convention.

Mr Canfield then attempted to break in
to the postoffice at Delphos, but fail-
ed.

Mr Canfield now was to break into
Lima without price, the Halfhill
Campbell combination, willing to
help him to the gate at the expense
of the taxpayers.

That would be an
political debt, and
help themselves.

The Republican-Gazette wants to
know why the big
power city council is interested in
the law are not requir-
the same as ordinary
answer is. The an-
not want them with
arrest, or proven
fences charged.

They were litera-
the late republican
and campaign.

If the consumer pays the tariff tax
now, Bro. Campbell has paid it in
1890, 1900, and 1904.

Your editorials in these years said
the consumer had nothing to do with
it.

This year you say the burden falls
on the consumer.

In what years do you tell the truth?

We have it from good authority that
one, and possibly two members of the
present city council are interested in
a financial way in a new lighting
franchise that was recently caused
on last Monday night, and that the
Campbells are in on the scheme to get
something for nothing.

Any ground for republicans to stand
on is safe, if it has democratic prin-
ciples for a foundation.

Fitzsimmons has proved the Osler
theory.

Little Folks

Whether boy or girl have an in-
stinctive liking for miniature fur-
niture. When in the F. E. Harman
store, ask to be shown the oxidized
copper CHILDREN'S CHAIRS, beau-
tifully made, both with polished quar-
ter-sawn oak seats and substantial
plush upholstery. The correct price
on these beautiful child's Xmas gifts
has been \$2.00. They will be closed
out at once for 50c EACH. Don't over-
look a chance like this. You may
never get another one. Surely not
this year.

THE DOLL AND TOY SECTION
AT FELTZ'S IS DOING AN IMMENSE
BUSINESS THIS YEAR. LARGE
ASSORTMENTS AND LOW PRICES
ARE THE CAUSE.

See Hoover & Co. before buying
your Xmas presents 58-6t

Santa Claus will be at Heiniger's
bargain store this (Thursday) even-
ing, in the big window. Bring the lit-
tle ones to see him.

THE FIRST STEP

In the proper enjoyment
of home life is to equip
your residence with a
telephone.

USE THE BELL

Central Union Telephone
Company.

Money Supplied

On Easy Terms to
Any One Worthy of
Credit.

WE MAKE LOANS

On Furniture, Pianos
Etc. No Delay. No
Publicity.

Open every eve-
ning this month.

LIMA CHATTEL

LOAN COMPANY,

209 Opera House Block.

Both Phones.

Open Evenings.

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Thank the weather man for the low
prices on high grade fare offered by
Carrier & Carroll.

A Happy Thought.

What is nicer for an Xmas gift than
a box of cigars or a box of Lowmy's
candy? We have both. Cigars in
boxes of twelve to one hundred. All
leading brands of five and ten cent
cigars. We deliver all boxes to any
part of the city or by mail if desired.
CATT & GRAY, "WIGWAG"
Turkey and chicken raffle tonight.

**CHILDREN'S COATS AT SPECIAL
PRICES AT FELTZ'S.**

THE MARMET MONARCH COAL.

For economy and satisfaction you
make no mistake when you buy Mon-
arch.

This coal is mined at our mines in
the famous Cedar Grove district, West
Virginia, and is absolutely pure coal.
No clinkers, no slate and very low
in ash and holds fire over night.
There is no better domestic coal on
the market and none superior for
steam purposes. The Marmet Coal
Co., F. W. Drake, 458 south Main St.,
sole agent.

The ladies are invited to call and
inspect the fine line of smokers ar-
ticles and cigars in holiday packages
for presents at the Metropolitan Cigar
Store. 61-3t

**BUY YOUR HOLIDAY HANDKER-
CHIEFS AT FELTZ'S.**

Have you seen the combination writ-
ing desks and chairs for children at
Hoover & Co. 58-6t

Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is
simply liquid electricity. It goes to
every part of your body, bringing new
blood, strength and new vigor. It
makes you well and keeps you well.
3c. H. F. Vorkamp.

If you are troubled with indigestion,
constipation, sour stomach, or any other
pain, Hollister's Rocky Mountain
Tea will make you well and keep you
well. 35c. tea or tablets. H. F. Vorkamp.

Any one suffering from Kidney
pains, backache, bladder trouble or
rheumatism who will take a dose of
Pine-Ules upon retiring at night shall
be relieved before morning. Sold by
H. F. Vorkamp.

**WHERE WILL YOU SPEND THE
HOLIDAYS.**

The L. E. & W. R. R. will have
special rate tickets on sale Dec. 23,
24, 25, 26, 31, 1905 and Jan. 1st, 1906,
good to return Jan. 3rd, 1906. For de-
tails and full information see L. E.
& W. R. R. ticket agent.

A healthy man is a king in his own
right; an unhealthy man is an un-
happy slave. Burdock Blood Bitters builds
up sound health—keeps you well.

**WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST,
FOR SALE, ETC.**

Advertisements occupying four lines
or less will be inserted in this col-
umn for 25 cents for one insertion, or
50 cents for three insertions, the or-
der to be accompanied by the cash.

WANTED—Young man. We have an
opportunity for a young man to earn
a complete course in business, or
short-hand by doing a few minutes
work each day. Call at office in
the Holmes block, Lima Business
College 60-3t

WANTED—At 620 west Spring St., a
woman to do cooking. Must have
reference. Call at 7 p. m. or at the
noon hour 59-3t

WANTED—Men to learn barber
trade. Little expense. Scholarship
includes tools, board, positions. \$12
to \$20 weekly paid graduates. Best
work in existence for poor men.
Write nearest branch. Moier Bar-
ber College, Chicago, Ills, or Cin-
cinnati, O. 58-6*

WANTED—Machinists, vise, lathe and
planer hands and machine opera-
tors. J. M. Manley, 205 west 7th
street, Cincinnati, O. 45-12t-e-o-d

WANTED—Girls to learn the cigar
making trade. Will be well paid
while learning. After the trade has
been acquired can earn from \$7.00
to \$12.00 per week, depending entire-
ly on speed of worker. Apply at
once at the office of the Deisel-Wom-
mer Co., Lima, O. 59-t

FOR SALE.

FOR RENT—House. Inquire of H.
Baumgardner, 969 south Main. 1-2t

FOR SALE—Base burner, gas heating
and wood stove; cheap. Apply at
the home of the Misses Mackenzie,
227 south College street. 58-3t

FOR SALE—A good violin and mando-
lin at a bargain. Just right for an
Xmas present. Address or call on
E. H. Frey, 719 west High St. 8-2t*

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Modern 8 room flat in
Electron building, west Market St.
Hot water heat, hot and cold water.
Possession at once. Enquire of
janitor on premises. 61-3t*

FOR RENT—Five modern rooms over
Mosier's laundry. 59-3t

FOR RENT—Modern houses, fine con-
ditions, west North street. \$12.50;
Bay'r street \$19; Pierce street \$18;
Metcalf street \$22.50 per mo. Small
houses on Pierce, Union, Reese,
First and other streets \$6 to \$8 per
month. WANT HOTEL, FOYE, 63
public square. 67-tf

FOR RENT—A very desirable office
room in Times-Democrat building,
steam heated. Enquire at Times-
Democrat. 44-tf

LOST.

LOST—This morning, near N. W. cor-
of square, a small white envelope
containing return ticket to Wooster,
money order and certificate of de-
posit. Finder call 123

Children's Suits worth
from \$2.50 to \$3.50 go
for
98c.

2 More Days

Men's Dress Suits in single
and double breasted, worth
\$16.50
\$9.48.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY,

And Lima's Great Clothing Sale for Men, Boys and Children will end. The best and greatest values on earth now stare you in the face. CAN YOU, in justice to yourself afford to overlook a chance like this of buying high grade merchandise for LESS than the cost of production. For Friday and Saturday, the last two days, we will make a still deeper cut in the already low prices. Our stock room has been invaded and the entire surplus stock has been brought forth, and we hope to see every man, woman and child that have not yet visited our store during this sale, join the crowds that are daily attending and visit the greatest money saving opportunity ever held in Lima.

Men's Dress Shirts, the
Dollar kind, go for
29c.

Sol Wiesenenthal,

139 North Main Street, Lima, Ohio.

Underwear, Neckwear,
Suspenders, Hats, Caps,
Gloves, &c, all go at your
own price.



Come to Hover's

And make your

CHRISTMAS SLIPPER SELECTIONS

Our sizes are broken. Our assortment of styles and colors are better than ever.

Men's Slippers in black and tan, high and low cut, at \$1.25 to \$2.00.

Unbrodered Velvet 50c.

All of the staple colors in Ladies' Fur Trimmed Juliets, just the thing for comfort and comfort, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.75 and \$2.00.

Slippers and Children's little red fur trimmed Juliets 75c.

Also assorted colors in Slumber Slippers for the whole family, 25c a pair.

Hover Shoe Co.,

31 Public Square.



THE HOME HAIRCUT.

New York Press.—Over in Brooklyn there lives a millionaire well along in years with a wife from whom also youth has long since fled. From the old days before wealth came to them the couple retain one custom which has passed as the years have flown into a sort of sacred rite. The old lady cuts the old gentleman's hair. Once a year the millionaire goes to a barber shop and has his scanty locks trimmed. That sets the style for the ensuing year. When he comes home the wife carefully studies the cut and after that it is her work of love to reproduce it until another year rolls around and the annual visit to the barber shop takes place. The old gentleman also shaves himself.

Economy in the matter of hair is which was first a matter of stern necessity, is now the one thing that the couple refuse to give up out of the days of poverty. As they are a childless couple, there is nobody to inherit the old man into engaging a valet. Really the old man has his hair cut more often than is necessary for sometimes when the worries of wealth and social duties are more than ordinary oppressive the good wife will say: "Come, dear—come up to my room. I want to cut your hair." And while the scissors snip the old couple laughingly go back to the old happy days of youth and struggle once more.

100 different styles of children's rockers at Hoover & Co. 58 ct.

Mrs. Austin's Buckwheat has a world-wide reputation on account of its genuine buckwheat flavor. Don't forget the name. 55-ct.

SPECIAL SALE OF LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S COATS AT FELTZ'S.

\$4.15 CHICAGO EXCURSION \$4.15.

On Wednesday Dec 20th, the Erie railroad will sell excursion tickets from Lima, O., to Chicago and return at rate of \$4.15 for the round trip. Return limit Dec 23rd. For further information, call on Erie agents.

In Praise of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

There is no other medicine manufactured that has received so much praise and so many expressions of gratitude as Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is effective and prompt relief follows its use. Grateful parents everywhere do not hesitate to testify to its merits for the benefit of others. It is a certain cure for croup and will prevent the attack if given at the first appearance of the disease. It is especially adapted to children as it is pleasant to take and contains nothing injurious. Mr. D. A. Humphreys, a well known resident and clerk in the store of Mr. E. Lock, of Alle, Cape Colony, South Africa, says: "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to ward off croup and colds in my family. I found it to be very satisfactory and it gives me pleasure to recommend it for sale by all druggists."

Special sale silk petticoats. Our entire remaining stock will go on sale tomorrow morning at greatly reduced prices. Cartier & Carroll.

teen years old schoolboy, namely, putting jackets on reports of some kind, labeling them properly, and thus preparing the documents for examination by a higher official. She was new to the government service, was this business woman, and she prepared ten times as many of these jackets as her predecessor had done. Soon she was called before her superior, and instead of the confidence she naturally expected the bureaucrat scolded her roundly. The clerks further up the line were burdened with business which they could not or would not do. As a result, the bureaucrat specified a particular number of the reports to be prepared in a day, and no more.

But I can do these in about two hours," said the Chicago woman. "What shall I do the rest of the day?"

Stretch out the work as long as you can," was the bureaucratic command, and then read the papers.

Cartier & Carroll's store will be closed all day Christmas.

A Bad Scar.

Some day you will get a bad scar, when you feel a pain in your bowels, and fear appendicitis. Safety lies in Dr. King's New Life Pills, a sure cure, for all bowel and stomach diseases, such as headache, biliousness, costiveness, etc. Guaranteed at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, only 25c. Try them.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Franklin Silverster Bowers et al., Plaintiff.

Dulcie Maria Shole, et al., Defendant.

By virtue of a writ of sale issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

Saturday, January 7th, A. D. 1906, between the hours of 10 o'clock and 12 o'clock m., the following described lands and tenements situated in Amanda township, Allen County, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Ten (10) acres off the east end of the west side of the southwest quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section fourteen (14) township four (4) south of range five (5) east, said of a tract of land heretofore bequeathed to Charles Slauter, by Samuel Bowers and Mollie Bowers, as recorded in Volume 57, page 197, in Allen County deed records.

Appraised at \$800.00

Terms Cash

E. J. BARR, Sheriff, Allen County, O.

Lima, Ohio, Dec 6, 1905

C. L. FESS, 47-thu fri-Satks Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Case No 11747 Page 11747

Lena Sanford, Plaintiff,

Anna Marmon, et al., Defendants

Allen County Pleas

By virtue of writ of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen

County, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, on

Saturday, Dec. 30th, A. D. 1905, between the hours of 10 a m and 12 o'clock m., the following described lands and tenements situated in the City of Lima, County of Allen, State of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

All that part of outlot number two hundred and twenty (220) which lies northeast of Sanford Avenue.

Appraised at \$300.00

Terms of sale. One third 1/3 cash, one third in one (1) year and one third in two (2) years with interest.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff, Allen County, Ohio

Lima, Ohio, November 29th, 1905

J. E. RICHIE, 43-thu fri-Satks Plaintiff's Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

George M. Cleveland whose place of residence is unknown, late of Allen County, Ohio, will take notice that on the 6th day of December, 1905, in the court of common pleas of Allen County, Ohio, where the action is now pending, being cause No. 12538, the undersigned Karl Cleveland, filed his petition against said George M. Cleveland praying for a divorce from him, and the custody of their minor child, Maria Cleveland, whose age is seven years.

The said George M. Cleveland is required to answer the said petition in said action not later than six weeks after the 8th day of December, 1905, the date of the first publication of this notice, or such divorce and custody of said child may be granted.

PROPHET & EASTMAN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Dec 6-Satks

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

I have this day bought of D. Cramer his one-half interest in the south side drug store and the co-partnership existing between D. Cramer and myself has been dissolved. All claims and book accounts due the store are made payable to me, and all parties knowing themselves indebted to the store are requested to call and make prompt settlement.

Respectfully,

J. H. MORRISON.

Lima, O., Dec. 12, 1905

RECEIVER'S SALE OF GROCERY STORE.

Pursuant to an order of the Common Pleas Court I will receive sealed bids for the stock of groceries and store fixtures at No. 633 south Main street, Lima, O., being the store heretofore conducted by Charles W. Moon. Said bids will be received up to 12 o'clock noon, Friday, December 22, 1905, at my office, No. 410 Holland building, Lima, Ohio.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids. Appraised value \$2510.05. A copy of the inventory is on file at my office where it may be inspected at any time.

WARREN J. McLAUGHLIN, Receiver.

JOHN W. ROBY, Attorney.

Lima, O., Dec. 12, 1905, 54-55

LEGAL NOTICE

Carrie Douglas, whose place of residence is unknown, late of Allen County, Ohio, will take notice that on the 15th day of December, 1905, William L. Douglas filed his petition in the court of common pleas of Allen County, Ohio, being cause No. 12542, praying for a divorce from said Carrie Douglas and the ground of gross neglect of duty, and that said cause will be for hearing on and after February 1st, 1906.

That said Carrie Douglas is required to answer the said petition in said action not later than six weeks after the 15th day of December, 1905, the date of the first publication of this notice, or such divorce may be granted.

PROPHET & EASTMAN, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

GREAT CENTRAL.

Time card in effect Sunday, June 18, SOUTH BOUND.

7 leaves daily.....3:00 a.m.
11 leaves daily ex. Sunday.....5:25 a.m.
1 leaves daily.....9:30 a.m.
5 leaves daily.....12:40 p.m.
3 leaves daily.....4:15 p.m.
8 leaves daily.....5:05 p.m.
12 arrives daily ex. Sunday.....8:45 p.m.
65 leaves Sunday only.....7:10 a.m.

NORTH BOUND.

12 leaves daily.....2:05 a.m.
14 leaves daily ex. Sunday.....5:30 a.m.
2 leaves daily ex. Sunday.....8:00 a.m.
4 leaves daily.....11:55 a.m.
4 leaves daily.....7:25 p.m.
8 leaves daily.....9:45 p.m.
10 arrives ex. Sunday.....7:45 p.m.
60 arrives Sunday only.....7:45 p.m.
68 arrives Sunday only.....9:55 p.m.

ERIE RAILROAD.

In effect November 12, 1905.

East Bound.

*No. 8 New York Express.....3:55 a.m.

*No. 22 Marion-Columbus ac 8:21 a.m.

*No. 4 New York and Boston vestibule limited.....5:05 p.m.

*No. 14 Wells Fargo Ex.....9:45 p.m.

*No. 10 Chautauget and Buffalo limited.....10:45 p.m.

West Bound.

*No. 7 Chicago Express.....12:35 a.m.

*No. 21 Chicago limited.....1:33 a.m.

*No. 21 Chicago acc.....8:12 a.m.

*No. 3 Chicago vestibule limited.....11:47 a.m.

*No. 13 Wells Fargo Ex.....4:11 p.m.

*Daily.

*Daily except Sunday.

*Daily except Monday.

Phone No. 60-3 rings.

W. S. MORRISON, Ticket Agt.

O. L. ENOS, T. P. A., Marion, O.

L. E. & W. NEW CARD.

In effect Sunday, May 14th.

EAST BOUND.

No. 8 leave daily ex. Sunday 8:00 a.m.

No. 4 leave daily ex. Sunday 12:28 p.m.

No. 2 leaves daily.....5:55 p.m.

No. 10 leaves Sunday only.....8:05 p.m.

WEST BOUND.

No. 3 leaves daily ex. Sunday 5:00 a.m.

No. 1 leaves daily.....9:55 a.m.

No. 5 leaves daily ex. Sunday 4:18 p.m.

No. 7 arrives only.....7:55 p.m.

No. 9 arrives only.....8:20 p.m.

COLUMBUS & LAKE MICHIGAN RAILROAD.

To take effect Sept 1st, 1905.

North Stations.

3:30 p.m.Lima..... 9:32 a.m.

3:52 p.m.Gomer..... 9:14 a.m.

3:59 p.m.Jones City..... 9:03 a.m.

4:06 p.m.Seitz..... 8:50 a.m.

4:21 p.m.Kalkda..... 8:35 a.m.

4:24 p.m.Kalkda..... 8:19 a.m.

4:40 p.m.Donington..... 8:11 a.m.

4:46 p.m.Leon..... 8:02 a.m.

4:53 p.m.ar. Continental..... 7:53 a.m.

5:04 p.m.iv. Continental..... 7:46 a.m.

5:15 p.m.Rice..... 7:09 a.m.

5:23 p.m.Southerton..... 7:02 a.m.

5:40 p.m.Denance..... 6:45 a.m.

*Flag station.

CHANGE OF TIME ON D. T. & I. RY.

Effective Sunday, Oct. 8th.

Passenger trains will leave Wayne street station, going south:

No. 1 arrive at 2:32 and depart at 2:45, p. m. daily except Sunday.

No. 3, 7:40 a. m. daily except Sunday.

Going North.—No. 2, 1:05 p. m. daily except Sunday.

No. 4, 8:32 p. m. daily except Sunday.

Nos. 1 and 2 will run between Detroit and Jackson.

Nos. 3 and 4 will run between Napoleon and Jackson, O.

J. J. KIRBY, G. P. A.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES.

New schedule on Penna. R. R. Nov. 26th, 1905.

EAST.

No. 24 Daily.....1:17 a.m.

No. 6 Daily.....7:06 a.m.

No. 36 Ex. Sunday.....7:41 a.m.

No. 16 Daily.....3:37 p.m.

No. 30 Ex. Sunday.....4:42 p.m.

No. 22 Daily, Pullman.....4:25 p.m.

No. 8 Daily.....9:37 p.m.

No. 12 Daily, extra fare.....10:27 p.m.

WEST.

No. 15 Daily.....2:04 a.m.

No. 39 Ex. Sunday.....9:29 a.m.

No. 23 Daily Pullman.....10:27 a.m.

No. 9 Daily.....2:40 p.m.

No. 35 Ex. Sunday.....5:05 p.m.

No. 35 and 36, Plymouth and Crest-line accommodations.

J. W. REID.

JOHN M. BOOSE,

Real Estate & Gen'l Insurance Agency

200-201 Black Block.

City property, vacant lots, business blocks and mercantile propositions for sale. Houses to rent. Bonds collected and estates managed. Notary public. Fire, plate glass, health and accident, steam boiler and employees liability insurance.

YOUR BUSINESS SOLICITED.

MONEY TO LOAN.

At 4% per cent. to 5% per cent. FROM ONE TO TEN YEARS, in sum of \$500 and upward on FAIRLY GOOD REAL ESTATE PROPERTY. Privilege of paying \$100, or any multiple thereof, at any interest day.

LEASING MADE AT ONCE.

THE LIMA MORTGAGE LOAN CO.

LOUIS H. ROOKER,

Rooms 413-417 Opera House Block.

JOHN A. MOHR,

Real Estate and Insurance

Room 21, Holmes Block.

